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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants identify the materials listed below and on the modified form PTO-SB/08 accompanying this submission.

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OTHER MATERIAL

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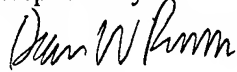
Remarks

The items marked with an asterisk have been cited in the International Search Report in Application No. PCT/GB00/03275. Copies have been provided to the U.S. Patent Office by the International Searching Authority.

Applicants do not concede that the identified materials constitute prior art within the meaning of the United States patent laws.

Applicants files this paper pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.97(b)(3), before the mailing of a first Office action and, therefore, believe that no fee is due in connection with this filing. However, the Commissioner is authorized to debit Deposit Account No. 11-0855 for any such fee due should Applicants' belief be mistaken.

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